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SUBJECT: EXCHANGE OF INFO WITH UK ON MILITARY SALES TO
IRAN

REFS: A) TEHRAN 6395; B) LONDON 9632

DEPARTMENT CONCURS WITH REF A THAT LIMITED GAINS FROM
REGULAR EXCHANGE OF INFO WITH UK ON MILITARY SALES TO IRAN
ARE OUTWEIGHED BY POTENTIAL DISADVANTAGES. WE ARE
ESPECIALLY CONCERNED AT PROBLEM OF POSSIBLE IRANIAN
SENSITIVITY AND MISUNDERSTANDING. AT SAME TIME WE WOULD
WANT TO SEE PRESENT INFORMAL EXCHANGES WITH UK ON VARIOUS
IRANIAN MILITARY MATTERS CONTINUE ON SELECTIVE AD HOC
BASIS. WE BELIEVE REPLY TO UK PROPOSAL IN REF A STRIKES
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PROPER BALANCE. EMBASSY LONDON IS ACCORDINGLY REQUESTED TO
RESPOND TO UK INITIATIVE BY DRAWING ON PARA 3 REF A. ASST.

SECRETARY SISCO WILL ALSO BE PREPARED TO DISCUSS SUBJECT
WITH ASST. UNDERSECRETARY PARSONS SHOULD LATTER RAISE IT
WHILE IN WASHINGTON. RUSH

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